Title 10—DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES Division 60—Safe Drinking Water Commission Chapter 14—Operator Certification

IN ADDITION NOTICE OF SUSPENSION OF RULE

10 CSR 60-14.020(8)(C) Certification of Public Water System Operators

ACTION TAKEN: This NOTICE OF SUSPENSION OF RULE 10 CSR 60-14.020(8)(C) applies to the entirety of subsection (C) for drinking-water operators whose certifications otherwise would expire during the suspension of this rule. 10 CSR 60-14.020(8)(C) requires that before a certificate will be renewed, the operator must submit documentation of training sufficient to meeting the minimum hours for the certificate level, as indicated in Table 4. Certification classes have been cancelled and postponed due to social-distancing requirements related to the COVID-19 emergency, and many professionals cannot obtain the minimum training hours during this emergency despite their best efforts. This temporary suspension will allow certified operators of public water systems to renew their certificates without obtaining the minimum amount of renewal training that otherwise would be required so they can continue providing professional services for public water systems.

EMERGENCY STATEMENT: Pursuant to Executive Orders (EOs) 20-04 dated March 18, 2020, and EO 20-09 dated April 24, 2020, the rule is suspended effective April 30, 2020 until June 15, 2020.

This in addition notice will appear in the June 1, 2020 issue of the Missouri Register.